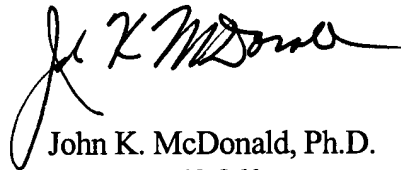


REMARKS

The amendment to the specification adds the cross-reference required by 37 C.F.R. 1.78.

By this amendment, Claims 1-16 are cancelled and Claims 17-31 are added. There are now 15 claims pending in this case. These amendments do not introduce any new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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